

BLACK

FAMILY HISTORY.

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Name? John Black

Lot & Concession?

Date of birth? Caledon W. Con 4 Lot 31. Date of death? 1883.

Place of burial?

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Sarah Reid

Wife's parent's names?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth? Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was John Black's Occupation?

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

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FAMILY HISTORY.

Name? W H Black

Lot & Concession? Rented Cal.E. Con 1 Lot 25 1919.

Date of birth?

Date of death?

Place of burial?

Parents? John Black & Sarah Reid

Where did they live? Cal. W. Con 5 Lot 28

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name?

Clara

Wife's parent's names?

Joseph Carney

Wife's father's place of residence?

E. Garafrax, Dufferin Co.

Date of wife's birth? 1883

Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was W.H. Black's

Occupation? *joeman*

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Jersy Cattle Club

Percherons and Clydesdales Hereford.

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?
(See above)

(300 acres) from Michael Armstrong J.H.C.

W.H. Black Cal. E. Cen 1 Lot 25 1919

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Children: If any, give date of birth, place of residence, date of death, place of ~~residence~~ burial, to whom married.

Nina b. 1909 Dufferin d.
bur. m.

Lillian b. 1909 Toronto d.
bur. m.

Greta b. 1917 res. d.
bur. m.

Beatrice b. 1920 res. d.
bur. m.

Gordon b. 1911 res. d.
bur. m.

Clifford b. 1913 res. d.
bur. m.

Also owned:-

Additional Information:-

Grew high-grade potatoes.

1. The Herd was founded in 1909 under the name of John Black & sons and in 1918 came under the present name of W.H. Black & sons.

One of the first cows was Daisy-7999 - this cow was a Grand daughter of the Great Show Cow (sunflower) Imported from H.M. Queen Victoria Herd of England, and Owned by the late W.H. Hunter of the Maples in Dufferin County.

The most of our Females descend from this good cow and by such sires as (Repor) (~~Clayton Donald~~) (Clayton Donald - Imp-) (Supreme Fairfax - Imp-) (Lord Thistleton - Imp-) and Ohio Fairfax - Imp-, The last named is the sire of our present sire (Brammel Ohio Fairfax.)

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Hereford file

1896 John Hamont purchased the cow "Beulah" #2239 from F.A. Fleming, Weston. Her calf "Sweet Rose" #2240 being bred by John Hamont and calved July 7, 1896. 4611
1897. John Hamont purchased the cow "Geranium" #1139 from Ontario Agricultural College. Her calf "Caledon Boy" #868 being calved May 3, 1897.
John Hamont first herd here "His Grace" #867 being purchased from F.A. Fleming, Weston.
Mr Hamont appears to have been the first Hereford breeder in Peel County.

1898.

~~1898~~ "Sweet Rose" #2240 was sold to Jas Howling of Streetsville and calved ~~Rosanna~~ ^{Blossom} #2241 on June 4th 1899. And "Roosevelt" #1828 on March 6th 1901. And "Rosanna" #2242 on April 14th 1902.
Mr Howling appears to have been the second Hereford breeder in Peel County

1903 "Fausiful" #576 was purchased from W.H. Hunter the reapers by Mrs. Smith of Caledon along with her heifer calf Caledon Lass #2318.
"Juliet" Mr. Smith's second cow was purchased from W.H. Hunter in 1903
1901 Robt Johnston, M.P. Moss Mills owned the cow Canadian Queen #2468 and sold she and heifer calf "Silver Star" #3112 to J.J. Henry, Moss Mills

copy of this is in the file shown each name shown

1. Have you been breeding Herefords for long? *Answer and description of herd on separate sheet*
2. What have you for herd sire? *Brummel Ohio Fairfax*
3. What is the size of your herd? *30 head*

4. Do you know anything of the early history of the breed in the County? *Answer on enclosed sheet as I take them from the records*

This herd has won about 800 prizes of which over 300 were Firsts, about 188 in 1922 also C.N.E. Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, over at Toronto and Local Fairs.

Do you do much showing? - *we have always shown at the Royal Winter Fair Toronto. since its opening in 1922 also C.N.E. Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, and Local Fairs.*

Where?

6. Who has the largest herd in the County? *I do not know of any herd larger than our own at present*

20 Firsts & about 30 seconds

7. Can you give me any item of interest in connection with your herd that I might mention when writing my history?

Our herd is fully Accredited and our cattle have a great record as breeders never having had a barren animal in our herd

Name... *W. H. Black & Sons*...

Lot. 25... Con. 1... Township... *Caledon*...

Address... *Caledon*... #. 1...

P.S. Some of the Present Breeders of Herefords: James McFaul, and W. J. Smith Alton P.O., A. B. Smith and W. H. Black & Sons Caledon P.O., James Hillyard, Cataract P.O., and D. C. Cook, Orangeville P.O.

Evening Telegram, 18 July, 1936

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CALEDON

**Last Rites at Caledon
For William H. Black**

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